

## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

**S**OCIETY has been busy since yesterday ascertaining the exact meaning of an inscription on the reverse side of an old coin found at Jamestown, and recently purchased by the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities from Mrs. Joseph Durham.

The coin was exhibited by Mrs. John B. Lightfoot at a meeting of the central committee of the association on Wednesday. One side bore an easily decipherable inscription in French around a head, the English translation reading: "Henry IV, King by the grace of God of France and Navarre. It was the reverse face that puzzled everybody for a time. The fleur-de-lis and the date, 1607, were plain enough, but the words were indistinct.

A clever woman belonging to the central committee has now made everything plain concerning the coin. She says the indistinct inscription is: "1607: Denier: Tournois."

"Denier" is the French form of the Latin denarius, and was used in 1607 to designate coins of inferior worth, the denarius being the penny of the Bible, and in value equivalent to about fourteen cents. The decipherer calls attention to the use of the old "u" which is "v" in the word "tournois" on the coin. She furthermore says that under the words "tournois" and "turney" in the Century Dictionary, will be found the history of the coin thus given:

"It is of black or copper money, and was coined during several reigns at Tours, France. Hence the word 'tournois.' The coin was surreptitiously introduced into England, Ireland and France. It is supposed to have received the corrupt pronunciation of 'turney' in Ireland."

Doubtless some early settler from England brought the money with him to Jamestown and lost it there. The coin will be mounted and placed in the show-case at Jamestown.

**Miss Blair's Parlor Talk.**  
Under the auspices of Mrs. John B. Lightfoot's circle of King's Daughters, Miss Maria Blair will give a parlor talk at No. 511 West Grace Street, on Wednesday afternoon, February 19th, at 4:30 o'clock.

The subject of the talk will be "The Isles of the Adriatic and Jerusalem." The proceeds will be devoted to the day nursery to which work the circle has given generous aid for many years.

**Emma Andrews Club.**  
The Emma Andrews Club will meet with Mrs. George Wayne Anderson, No. 123 Lombard Street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

**To Make Flowers.**  
Miss Talcott requests all ladies and young girls who have offered their services to make paper flowers for the Charity Fete Association indoor garden party to meet her at No. 14 West Main Street to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

**Silver Tea.**  
A silver tea will be given to-day, from 4 to 6 P. M., at No. 511 West Grace Street. The proceeds will go to the aid of the poor of the city.

**Leap Year German.**  
One of the most enjoyable social events of the season was the leap year German given by the young ladies of Lawrenceville on Friday evening at Hotel Southern.

The young ladies acted as escorts throughout the evening. A unique feature of the dance was the figure in which the girls came in with their hand baskets—each basket decorated in colors corresponding with her dress—and chose their partners for supper.

Many pretty and attractive figures were led by Miss Virginia Glazebrook, with Mr. Walter Turnbull. The couples dancing were:

Miss Virginia Argyle Glazebrook, in blue chiffon over taffeta, with Mr. Walter Turnbull.  
Miss Rosa Lee Turnbull, in pink organdie and Persian ribbon, with Mr. Blackburn, of Columbia, S. C.

Miss Elizabeth Derby, in white organdie, with Mr. D. Meade Bernard.  
Miss Ella Wilkins, in pink organdie, with Mr. C. O. Duke.

Miss Nell Turnbull, in black voile over taffeta, with Mr. Willie King.  
Miss Maria Dorch, in pink silk mull, with Harrison Turnbull.

Miss Susie Ould, in white mink and yellow ribbons, with Mr. James Crighton.  
Miss Lucy Meade Allen, in pink mull princess over pink taffeta, with Mr. C. Stuart Jones.

Miss Frances Wolfe, in white silk, with Mr. Baker Palmer.  
Miss Nannie Short, in white and lavender, with Mr. Emory Elmore.

Miss Margaret Tyler, in lavender silk, with Mr. Ross Miles.  
Miss Margarette Bailey, in white over pink, with Mr. James Rawlings, Jr.

Miss Mary Heartwell, in white batiste, with Mr. H. L. Wilkins, Jr.  
Stags—Miss Kate Leigh Glazebrook, in pink chiffon over white taffeta; Miss Harriet Snow, in white organdie; Miss



### A Rise in Biscuit

No biscuit are better or sweeter than those raised with Good Luck the 10c Baking Powder sold in the new patent can.

If you would be successful in your baking join the growing army of over half a million women who use

### GOOD LUCK Baking Powder

It is wholesome, reliable and economical. Coupons on can labels entitle you to many handsome presents. Get Good Luck to-day. If not at your dealer's, write

THE SOUTHERN MFG. CO., Richmond, Va.

Flora Hayes Allen, in white point d'esprit over blue taffeta; Miss Pattie Prince Turnbull, in flowered mull; Mrs. Edwards Turnbull, in green silk over white taffeta.

**Chaperons.**—Mrs. Charles Warwick, Mrs. J. M. Turnbull, Mrs. W. E. Starke, Mrs. H. L. Wilkins, Mrs. Arthur Rawlings.

### For Benefit of Summer Rest.

An entertainment for the benefit of Summer Rest will be given at the Davis School Building, No. 905-1-2 Floyd Avenue, on Thursday, February 20th, from 8 to 11 P. M.

A mass-meeting of the co-operative workers and all other friends of Summer Rest is called for this evening at 8 o'clock, No. 609 East Grace Street.

### Personal Mention.

Mr. C. B. Glenn, a member of the bar in Oklahoma, is visiting Richmond, his former home, and while here is the guest of his brother, Mr. Harry C. Glenn, and other friends.

Miss Elsie Ingram, the daughter of Judge and Mrs. John H. Ingram, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Arrington, in Greenville, S. C.

The Rev. and Mrs. Richard Ferguson, who have been spending some time in Richmond, have returned to their home in Mathews county.

At the close of their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wight will spend the remainder of the winter at the Belvidere, in Baltimore. In the spring they will occupy their country home, Wildwood, in the Green Spring Valley.

The Federation of Women's Clubs in Virginia will hold its second annual convention at Bedford City during the month of May.

Mr. Christopher Garnett has returned from a visit to his parents, in Mathews county.

Mrs. W. H. F. Lee, of Ravenswood, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eppa Hinton, Jr., at No. 5 East Franklin Street.

Young girls who belong to Mrs. J. Caskie Cabell's or Miss Page Aylett Royall's committee, or who have volunteered their services in behalf of the indoor garden party, are requested to meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the home of Mrs. Henry L. Cabell.

### KILLED WITH HIS OWN GUN.

**Negro Convicted of Accidental Homicide at Winston-Salem.**  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., February 13.—In the Superior Court this afternoon George Van Landingham, a young negro man, was convicted of manslaughter for killing William Perry, also colored, in this city, December 24th.

Evidence was conclusive that both men were intoxicated, and that Van Landingham was only playing with Perry's pistol when it was unintentionally discharged, the ball entering the abdomen of Perry and causing his death two days later. The defendant was given a term of ten months on the county roads.

### Indicted for Murder.

SALISBURY, N. C., February 13.—Rowan county grand jury now in session yesterday afternoon returned bills for murder against Will Burns for killing Charles Neal, near Salisbury in December, and against Fiddie Bostain for killing Frank Harris in a restaurant here last month. All the parties are colored. These are the only capital cases to be tried at the present term of Superior Court.

## REVENUE OFFICERS DESTROY STILL

Interesting Insurance Case in Judge Boyd's Court Goes to the Jury After Several Days.

### OBSERVER PRINTING HOUSE

Frazier Jones, the Negro Wife-Murderer, Goes to the Penitentiary Instead of the Gallows.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALEIGH, N. C., February 13.—Deputy Internal Revenue Collector J. P. H. Adams has returned from a raiding expedition in Johnson county, during which he and Deputy Marshal A. F. Surles destroyed two blockade distilleries, one of 100 gallons capacity and the other of fifty gallons capacity.

In the United States District Court, Judge Boyd presiding, the taking of testimony in the case of J. J. Rogers vs. the Pacific Mutual Insurance Company, that has occupied the court's attention during the past five days, was completed and contending counsel allotted three hours to present argument to the jury, which the judge stipulated should be confined to two issues—the existence of a contract between Rogers and the insurance company as to the general agency, and, if there had been such a contract, then the amount that would be due Rogers by the company under its provisions. The case went to the jury late this afternoon.

### Charlotte Observer Incorporates.

A charter was issued to-day from the office of the Secretary of State for the Observer Printing House, Charlotte, incorporating D. A. Tompkins, J. P. Caldwell and B. R. Carter. The capital is \$55,000 authorized, and that subscribed \$6,000. The purposes of the company are the publication of newspapers and periodicals, general job printing and bookmaking, and the manufacture and sale of office supplies.

Another charter is to the Randleman Drug Company, Randleman; capital, \$1,950, by P. A. Hayes, J. H. Walker and E. F. Redding.  
Frazier Jones, the negro who has repeatedly escaped the gallows on such narrow margins, pending efforts with Governor Glenn to procure a commutation of the death sentence to life imprisonment, on the ground that the killing of his wife was not in cold blood, but in the heat of passion, rendered by her unfaithfulness, is not to hang at all. Governor Glenn to-day issued the order commuting the sentence to life imprisonment. In compliance with numerous appeals from citizens of Greensboro, and on the strength of new evidence tending to show that the killing was nearer murder in the second degree than first degree murder.

### Spelden—Brown.

An Interesting Society Wedding in Wilmington.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
WILMINGTON, N. C., February 13.—A marriage of much interest to society and of great brilliancy was celebrated in historic old St. James Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon, the contracting parties being Miss Ida Rankin Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown, and Mr. Thomas L. Spelden, all of this city. The event was solemnized at 6 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. R. W. Hogue, the rector, and was witnessed by a large and fashionably attired assemblage. The bride was attended by her maid of honor, Miss Nellie McMillan, and her bridesmaids, Miss Martha Dubois Woods, of Darlington, S. C., and Miss Julia Parsley, of this city, while the ribbon girl was little Miss Jane McMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McMillan. The groom was attended by his best man, Mr. W. G. W. Kraftt, and the ushers were Messrs. E. E. and J. S. Brown, brothers of the bride, and John Sprunt and Harvey Payne.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Brown home, on Dock Street, and then the happy couple departed for a bridal trip North.

### Andrew—Fulcher.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
ROCKLEE, Va., February 13.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fulcher, at Grottoes, Va., was the scene of a quiet but impressive marriage on Wednesday, February 13th, when their daughter, Una Katherine, was wedded to the Rev. Karl Lester Andrew, of Stoneville, N. C., only a few relatives and intimate friends being present. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Andrew left for Stoneville, where the groom has charge of the Christian Church.

### Kent—Wheeler.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., February 13.—E. V. Kent, of Washington, and Miss Florence J. Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler, of Spotsylvania county, were married a few days ago at the home of Ben Perry, in Washington, by Rev. Mr. Oram. Miss Irene Perry was maid of honor, and Harry B. Perry the best man. The couple will reside in Washington.

### Coppage—Smith.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., February 13.—Jas. W. Coppage, of Spotsylvania county, and Miss Macie E. Smith, of Hanover, were married yesterday at the home of Mr. W. W. Gregory, in Richmond, by Rev. W. F. Davis, of Charles City county. The couple will reside in Stafford county.

### Cochran—Glechlrist.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LYNCHBURG, Va., February 13.—At the parsonage of the First Christian Church last night, Miss Virginia Frances Glechlrist and Mr. Herbert Hugo Cochran, both of this city, were united in marriage. The pastor, the Rev. F. E. Bullard, officiating. The bridesmaids were Mr. J. C. Oaks and Miss Bertina Robinson.

### Stokes—Trent.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LYNCHBURG, Va., February 13.—Miss Iueez Trent, of this city, and Mr. Wyndham Stokes, of Welch, W. Va., were married yesterday at the New Willard, in Washington, the ceremony being witnessed by several relatives of the contracting parties. The couple will make their home in Welch, where Mr. Stokes is a prominent attorney at law.

### Conference Delegates Elected.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
KING GEORGE, Va., February 13.—At a recent quarterly meeting at Trinity Church, conducted by Presiding Elder R. F. Hale, the following delegates to the district conference to convene next summer, were elected: W. H. Edwards, Charles Hayes and J. T. Minor; Alternates, Julien H. Pratt, J. Robert Baker and G. W. Grigsby.

# SNOWDRIFT HOGLESS LARD

FOR ALL COOKING PURPOSES

**FIRST:** Nature-grown in the fields of the Sunny South; and obviously much purer and a great deal healthier than the fat of the hog.

**SECONDLY:** More economical than hog lard; goes farther -- much farther -- every time.

**THIRDLY:** As good as butter for cake and bread making and for all kinds of cooking where butter or other cooking fat is needed, and much cheaper, because it costs less in the first place and less of it has to be used.

**FOURTHLY:** Its purity and quality guaranteed. Every pound of it is made under United States Government inspection.

**THE SOUTHERN COTTON OIL CO.**  
NEW YORK · SAVANNAH · NEW ORLEANS · ATLANTA · CHICAGO

## FIVE MEN CHARGED WITH POST-OFFICE ROBBERIES



C. F. Shaw.  
H. S. Hallen.

Charlie Williams.  
J. T. Leonard.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
RALEIGH, N. C., February 13.—The above group of photographs shows four of the five yeggmen who have just been brought from Lancaster, S. C., to Raleigh, N. C., to stand trial on the charge of burglarizing the post-office at Dunn, Harnett county, N. C., December 23, 1907, the safe having been blown open and large quantities of stamps, money and valuable papers taken. The post-office inspectors and others who have been at work on the case believe that they are professional cracksmen, and that a number of post-office and other robberies in North Carolina, Virginia, South Carolina and other Southern States are due to their operations. The men under arrest are J. T. Leonard, Charlie Williams, James Scanlon, C. F. Shaw and Henry S. Hallen. They had in their possession when arrested near Van Wyck, S. C., a quantity of explosives and other materials for blowing open safes, and

were believed to be at the time putting in execution plans for the robbery of the Van Wyck post-office. The case against the men has been worked up by Post-Office Inspector J. W. Bulla, with headquarters in Richmond; Inspector H. T. Gregory, Inspector M. O. Halverstad and Inspector H. B. Mosby. Messrs. Bulla, Gregory and Halverstad accompanied the prisoners here, and turned over to United States Marshal Dockery a large number of articles found on the men that will be used in the trial at the May term of Federal court. These men will continue work on the case with a view to fixing as many offenses against them as possible.

### A VANDERBILT SUIT.

Wm. K. Jr., Libels a Dredging Company for Injuring His Yacht.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WILMINGTON, N. C., February 13.—A libel suit, in which William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., millionaire, and well-known yachtsman, figures as the libellant, has been started in the United States Court in this city. The libel is against a large local concern—the Diamond Steamboat Wrecking and Dredging Company, and is for \$5,500. While this amount is not large, yet the suit is of much interest on account of the parties concerned. In an accident on the Cape Fear River here just before Christmas the large Beaver, owned by the defendant company, broke loose

## FIREWORKS

Well and gives best results if you use the right kind of fuel. We sell that kind, and always keep a large stock in our yards to supply your needs. We will fill your order.

### TO-DAY

Call us up—Phone 177.

**Samuel H. Cottrell & Son,**  
1103-1117 W. Marshall Street.



### Hang Your Faith on Our Carriages.

The greatest value given to-day in Virginia on Buggies, Runabouts, Surreys, Wagons and Harness.

Prices in reach of everybody.

**Ainslie Carriage Co.,**

Salesroom and Factory,  
Nos. 8, 10 and 12 S. Eighth St.  
RICHMOND, VA.

## Travelers Know

THAT only the best made Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases can stand the rigors of the road.

THAT the celebrated "Roller Tray" and other Rountree Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases are unquestionably the best.

THAT by buying from us you get goods direct from the factory at a big saving in price.

Leather skins for Table Covers

**Rountree's Retail Store**

703 East Broad Street.

Will Move Our Main-Street Branch After February 15th

**Hofheimer's**  
RELIABLE STORES  
311 East Broad Street

**LUMBER**  
Sash, Blinds, Doors, Mouldings.  
Large Stock. Low Prices.  
WOODWARD & SON, Richmond, Va.

## Better Change

When you discover that the use of coffee as a beverage is undermining your health.

Many persons who suspect that palpitation of the heart with a "smothery" sensation is caused by coffee, don't seem to know how to break the fetters forged upon them by caffeine—the drug in coffee.

They want a hot beverage for breakfast, and may have "tried Postum" (weakly made by simply steeping it in hot water, or "letting it come to a boil") and did not relish it.

No wonder! Boil Postum 15 minutes as per directions on pkg., add good cream and then try it. In 10 days you may safely expect a decided change for the better. Keep it up and you will discover

"There's a Reason" for

# POSTUM